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THERAPEUTIC DOSAGE (P-4901P4)

## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with the continuing duty of disclosure imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 to inform the United States Patent and Trademark Office of all references coming to the attention of each individual associated with the filing or prosecution of the subject application which are or may be material to patentability of any claim of the application, Applicants hereby direct the Examiner's attention to references **C69** and **C70** listed on the accompanying List of References Cited by Applicant.

Enclosures accompanying this Information Disclosure Statement are the following:

- 1. A List of References Cited by Applicant listing References C69 and C70; and
- 2. Copies of References C69 and C70.

Reference **C69** is a copy of the Communication of a Notice of Opposition from the European Patent Office dated August 14, 2008 (the "EPO Notice") in connection with an opposition filed to EP 1 296 740 B1 (which patent was previously cited as Reference **B08** listed on the Information Disclosure Statement submitted August 8, 2008).

The EPO Notice lists Documents lists "D1-D5." A copy of Document D2 (L. Tuft *et al.*, Journal of Laboratory and Clinical Medicine) is submitted herewith as reference **C70** on the accompanying List of References Cited by Applicant.

The undersigned notes that Applicants have already made Documents D1 and D3-D5 cited in the EPO Notice of record in the subject application. The following chart correlates the reference numbers for documents D1 and D3-D5 cited in the EPO Notice with the

corresponding reference numbers of the documents already made of record in the subject application.

Reference No. in Opposition to EP 1 296 740 B1	Reference No. in the Subject Application (Cited by Applicants)
D1 (U.S. Patent No. 5,848,991)	AP (IDS submitted October 23, 2002)
D3 (Brochure of TERUMO Insulin Syringe with Needle)	C63 (IDS submitted August 8, 2008)
D4 (U.S. 2003/0100885 A1)	A26 (IDS submitted June 7, 2007)
D5 (ISO 9626 – Table 2)	C64 (IDS submitted August 8, 2008)

Identification of the listed references is not to be construed as an admission of Applicants that such references are available as "prior art" against the subject application.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner review the listed references and that the references be made of record in the file history of the application.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), since this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, but before the mailing date of a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311 or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in this application, it is estimated that a fee of \$180.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) is due for this submission. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013.

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**Enclosures**